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LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

On December 31, 2001, we submitted an Information Disclosure Statement citing references JP 11-040330 and JP 4-119990. The English Abstracts of JP 11-040330 and the partial English translation of JP 4-119990 are being submitted herewith for the Examiner's consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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